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SUBJ: VOLUNTEER SPEAKER ECONOMIST CALVIN BLAIR

REF: USIA 2237; GUAYAQUIL 87; USIA 1790

1. POST PREFERS OPTION TWO OF REF. MESSAGE USIA 2237.
ECUADOREAN SPEAKER WILL LEAD-OFF SESSION "TRADE IN
ENERGY MATERIALS" FOLLOWED BY BLAIR'S COMMENTARY AND
GENERAL DISCUSSION.

2. BASED ON ABOVE, POST WILL ALTER FIRST DAY'S PROGRAM
AS DESCRIBED GUAYAQUIL 87 AS FOLLOWS:

THURSDAY FEBRUARY 28

MORNING SESSION: BLAIR TALK ON "U.S. TRADE REFORM
ACT AND LATIN AMERICA"; QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS;
TALK BY U.S. EMBASSY OFFICIAL ON "U.S.-ECUADOR
TRADE"; Q&A; COFFEE BREAK; TALK BY ECUADOREAN
COUNTERPART SPEAKER; Q&A; LUNCH.

AFTERNOON SESSION: TALK BY ECUADOREAN SPEAKER ON
"TRADE IN ENERGY MATERIALS" Q&A; COFFEE BREAK;
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BLAIR REACTION AND GENERAL DISCUSSION.

3. FRIDAY, MARCH 1 PROGRAM REMAINS THE SAME.

4. SOCIAL EVENTS SCHEDULED AS FOLLOWS:

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 27--EVENING RECEPTION IN
HOME OF BRANCH PUBLIC AFFAIRS OFFICER FOR
BLAIR AND SEMINAR PARTICIPANTS.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28--EVENING DINNER IN HOME
OF BRANCH INFORMATION OFFICER FOR BLAIR AND
SELECTED SEMINAR PARTICIPANTS.

FRIDAY, MARCH 1--EVENING OPEN.

5. POST CONCURS BLAIR SCHEDULE AS PER USIA 1790. WILL
LEAVE MORNING OF FEBRUARY 27 OPEN FOR BLAIR TO REST,
AND TRY TO SCHEDULE VISIT TO CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY FOR
AFTERNOON MEETING WITH ECONOMICS DEPARTMENT. IF
STUDENTS ARE AVAILABLE, WOULD BLAIR BE WILLING TO
ADDRESS THEM ON "U.S. TRADE REFORM ACT AND LATIN AMERICA"
DURING THIS VISIT?

6. PLEASE SEND PHOTO OF BLAIR AND COPY OF U.S. TRADE
REFORM ACT AS REQUESTED GUAYAQUIL 87.

7. POST WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING HANDOUT MATERIAL IN
SPANISH. TO DATE WE HAVE REQUESTED IPS PAMPHLET "TOWARD
GLOBAL INTERDEPENDENCE," BUT ADDITIONAL MATERIALS WOULD
ENHANCE USIS FOR INPUT FOR SEMINAR.
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